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WHEN INDICATIONS.

FOR SUNDAY ... Warmer, partly cloudy, The Investigation of Indian Leases

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Fur Store Burglarized.	
DETROIT, Mich., Jan 10Burglars	affected s
entrance through the back door into	the brane
ur store of the Buhl Manufacturing	Company
05 Woodward avenue, last night and money and twenty-seven costly seal	in sacque
The thieves were evidently good journality of the goods, as a number of puty had been pushed aside to get at a	porer qua
The value of the goods is between	10 and \$50

THE INDIAN LEASES.

The Cherokee Lease Investigation-The Lease Evidently Secured Through Bribery. WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 .- Colonel Boudinot, of the

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Shows That the Cherokees Are

Dissatisfied.

-Important Notes of Gen-

eral Interest.

Cherokee Nation, was examined by the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs regarding the leasing of Indian lands to-day. He had no personal knowledge of any bribery or irregularity in connection with the leasing. He had heard a rumor that \$4,000 was paid C. W. Rogers, a member Cherokee Council, to secure a He declined to give the name person who told him, ness' opinion five cents per acre could have been obtained instead of two cents. He objected to the lease for this reason, and also because too many acres were covered by different leases; they were too large. If the lands had been leased in small quantities some of the Cherokees themselves

would, he thought, have taken a portion. He believed there was strong sentiment among the Cherokees against the leases.
Richard M. Wolf, delegate of the Cherokee Nation to Washington, thought Congress had no right to abrogate the lease. As far as witness knew, there was no such opposition to the lease Augustus C. Ivey testified he was a metaber of the Cherokee Nation; numbers of men had told him that money had been offered to secure the assage by the council of a lease bill. Among those mentioned as having been offered pay were John Sanders and Samuel H. Sanney. Sanders

told witness be was offered \$400 to vote for the bill. He heard that Major Drum, attorney for the Cherokee strip for the Live Stock Association said it cost very high to get a lease bill through; it was a great benefit, and of course they had to pay for it. Drum also remarked: "Your fellows got as high a price as the Kansas fellows." Rumer fixed the amount paid for getting the bill through at \$50,000. Ranney, he now said, told witness he had been paid for voting for the bill. Witness frequently heard persons say so got so much. After considerable pressing as to who "so and so" were, he men-tioned Major Scales, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Cherokee Nation, as one of them. Had talked with Bushy Head, the Chief, about the leases. Bushy Head talked as if an investigalion would hurt the Nation, and said: "Gus, you are an aspiring man; you want to run for the Senate, and had better not do anything that will hurt you." Bushy Head said the case was the best that could be done under the circumstances. Many thought Bushy Head would veto the bill, as inferior lands were renting at four to six cents per scre, while the Cherokees re-ceived but one and one-half cents. Bushy Head said, however, it was better to get one and onebalf cents from those they knew than to rent it to strangers. He believed the lease could not have secured 500 votes out of 25,000 if the question had been submitted to the people.

SWAIM COURT MARTIAL.

The Defense Introduces Testimony to Prove Why Deakers Left the Employ of Bateman.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 10,-In the Swaim Court Martial Robert J. Winnie was the first witness. He was examined in regard to the information obtained by him and communicated by him to General Swaim, concerning Deakers' resignation from the employ of Bateman & Co. He testided that Deakers told him Bateman ordered him (Deakers) to change the figures in the dis patches be was receiving from New York: that he refused to do this and had resigned rather than become a partner to such practice, and had written a letter to Bateman and to Bateman's agent in New York, stating the reasons for his resignation. The witness talked to General Swaim about Deakers' matter, but had no recollection whatever of having spoken to him on the subject prior to the ordering of the Court of Inqu y in

General H. N. Boynton testified that he did not learn Deakers had been in Bateman's employ until after the publication of Bateman's letter to the Secretary of War. At that time he heard from Winne in regard to his leaving Bateman's employ, and told General Swaim. He said he told Gen-eral Swaim be (witness) had heard Deaters re-signed his position in Bateman's office because of his refusal to furnish a false transcript of the in-formation he received from New York over the wires for use in stock transactions. The introduction of this testimony on the part the defense was then closed, with the understanding that one more witness would be called

Adjourned till Monday. NATIONAL NOTES.

to put George Swaim on the stand again.

liver Model of a Church-Ceurte of Juris diction-Appropriation for the Pegestal of the Bartholdi Statue.

Washington, Jan, 10 .- The Department of State received from Cork, Ireland, a solid sliver model of Shandon Church, in Cork, intended for exhibition at the New Orleans Exposition. This church was made famous through the familiar poem. entitled "Bells of Shandon." by the late Francis mahoney (Father Prout).

A conference of Democratic Senators was called this afternoon to consider the policy to be purrespect to the treaties. Less s quorum was present, and no was decided upon or proposed. The proceedings were gossipy and informal, the greater part of the two bours' conference being devoted to a comparison of views concerning the policy of the new administration, especially with regard to removais and appoint-

The bill to provide for the exercise of the juris diction conferred upon the United States in places out of their territory and dominion was reported favorably to-day by Representative Hitt, from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and is intended to provide a more perfect system of

is intended to provide a more perfect system of courts, and to prescribe a more complete, precise and harmonious body of law for the protection of Americans residing in foreign countries, such as China, Japan, Turkey and other places where pagan or Mahommedan law prevails.

Representative Nutting, from the Committee on Litrary, to-day presented for printing and recommittal a favorable report on the joint resolution introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York, appropriating \$100,000 in aid of the completion of the pedestal for the statue of Liberty Enlightening the World. The report says the statue was a magnificent gift from the people of France to our whole people and not to the people of New York, and it belongs to the people as a Nation. It would be arrogance for the State of New York to pay for the pedestal and claim the statue as its own. The statue is a National symstatue as its own. The statue is a National symbol; it is National property, and Congress should, in the opinion of your Committee, thusa what

Nothing is known as to the burgiars and no clue. The Fitch Steambor. TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 10.-The : enton Times publishes to-day the result of a search among old State records, showing that Robert Fulton was not the inventor of the first steamboat, and that the first steambont was launched on the Delawara | Van Fossan poisoning. The vintime are still very River, near this city, in 1787, twenty years before | fli, but it is now builtored that all will recover,

Hudson. John Fitch was the inventor and ran the steamboat. The New Jersey Legislature, on March 2, 1786, received a petition presented by Mr. Fitch, setting forth his invention and asking a committee to investigate it and grant him encouragement. An act in accordance with the petition was passed a few days later, twenty-one years before Fulton's boat was launched. Fitch then organized a company and constructed his steamboat. It made four miles an hour. The Legislature then gave him the sole right of steam navigation, and when Fitch died in Kentucky, in 1798, the Jersey Legislature assigned his rights to his heirs.

INDIANA NEWS.

Hantington Notes.

Special to the Sentinel. HUNTINGTON, Ind., Jan. 10 .- Samuel Fisher, of Jefferson Township, this county, shot kimself yesterday, and, it is thought, fatally. An affidavit had been filed against him by a neighbor charging him with stealing clover seed. When the officer went to arrest him, some resistance it appears was made and something was said by the officer about shooting, when Pisher said if suy of that was to be done he would do it himself and immediately drew a revolver and fired into his own body. It is supposed the rash act was done on account of his fear of conviction on the charge against him. Night before last at 1 o'clock fire broke out the stove factory of Simonton & Cook, known as the "Little River Stove Works," which entirely consumed the building and destroyed the machin-

ery. Loss estimated at about \$6,000, with an in surance of \$3,500. Cause of fire unknown, prob ably from furnace as work had been done during with a heavy docket, much of which is old busidess. Our circuit, comprising the countles of Huntington, Grant, and Biackford, is too large, and our people are demanding some relief. We think we ought to have a county probate, and this Legislature should do something in regard to

An Evangelist Preacher Arrested.

Special to the Sentinel. HARTFORD, Ind., Jan. 10 .- Yesterday the Sheriff arrested an evangelist, an advocate of Holiness, named Reber, and placed him in jail upon a warrant sworn out by one Samuel Huggins for performing a marriage ceremony without having been an ordained minister. Reber was holding a protracted meeting in Mr. Huggins' neighborhood, and had solemnized the marriage ceremony for a sou of said Huggins to a Miss Smith. Mr. Huggins had consented to the marriage on account of his son's familiarity with the young miss. It seems the evangelist had used his influence in the matter to bring about a solution of the affair, and at this Mr. Huggins had taken umbrage, hence the prosecution. A high state of excitement exists among the flock of the higher order of saints, and threats of vengeance are freely indulged in, and suits for damages will follow. Reber was released from prison last night, some of the faithful going on

Sensational Shooting Affair, Special to the Sentinel.

RICHMOND, Ind., Jan. 10,-Quite a sensational shooting affray took place here yesterday afternoon. One Sam Ogborn attempted to shoot Walter Webster, whom he claimed had been too intimate with his wife. Webster works at the Hoosler Drill Works, and as he entered the shop at noon he was met by Ogborn, who fired twice, but failed to hit his victim, as the latter caught his pistol arm and diverted the direction of the ball. Another person then disarmed the assailant, who was placed under \$1,000 bend, in default of which he was sent to jail. Considerable excitement was caused by the affair.

The McMullen Burning Case.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 10 .- The particulars of the burning of the McMullen house, near Whitlock, in this county, were received here last evening. The charred remains of McMullen and wife were found in the ruins, and there is a grave suspicion that they were murdered, and the house set on fire to conceal the crime. John Coffee, living near, was suspected and watched. He was afterward arrested, and the case is being investigated. Detectives are working up the case, and it is hoped the guilty parties, if there are any, will be arrested and receive their just dues.

. Wants a Divorce.

Special to the Sentinei. SHELEYVILLE, Ind., Jan. 10,-Jane Nelis has fired for divorce from her husband and asks custody of children. Mrs. Nelis alleges her husband has beaten and pinched and cruelly whipped their three-year-old daughter until she can not live with him longer Mrs. Nelis is a daughter of William Heck, ex-Trustee of Hendricks Township, and a Democratic politician of local prominence.

A Large Glass Contract-Narrow Escape of a Valuable Picture.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 10,-Business has evidently reached bed-rock again. Large buyers see better times ahead and take advantage of the low prices to stock up. H. H. Warner & Co., of this on Monday, and perhaps the defense would want city, have just made a contract with the Whitney to put George Swalm on the stand again. Glass Works, of Philadelphia, for 10,600,000 Works, of Philadelphia, for 10,000,000 pounds of glass Safe Cure bottles, or 7,200,000 bottles, or over 500 car-loads, the biggest contract ever made. The bottles would stretch over 1,000 miles in a line. While Cameron's great \$30,000 painting of "Ni-

agara Falls in Winter," owned by H. H. Warner, was being exhibited yesterday the drapery caught fire and was consumed, but fortunately the picture was rescued unbarmed.

Deadlock in the California Senate. SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 10.-The deadlock which

exists in the State Senate will probably be broken when the Senate reconvenes on Monday by the Republicans voting with the "read-outs" for Knight. The Senate consists of twenty Republicans and twenty Democrats, Lieutenant Governor Daggett in the chair. Five Senators were "read out" of the Democratic party by the late Demo-eratic State Convention, who insist that Knight, one of their number, be elected Speaker pro tem. The other Democratic members, known as "straightouts," refuse to vote with them, which causes a deadlock. On a party tie the ballot of the Chairman would cast the vote, deciding with the Democrats.

The Out of Lumber, Shingles and Lath. Sr. Paul, Minn., Jan. 10 .- The total cut of the Northwestern lumber region for the last year was 2,531,298,000 feet of lumber, 1,050,851,300 shingles and 630,000,000 lath. The increase over the cut of 1883 is over 447,812,000 feet of lumber, 202,994,009 shingles and 85,000,000 lath. The stock on hand December 1 aggragated 1,795,700,000 feet of lumber. 424,998,000 shingles and 310,277,000 lath. The increase over the total of December 1, 1883, is 600,-079,000 teet of lumber, 50,012,000 shingles and 193,-514.000 lath. The anticipated supply is placed at 2 619,866,000 feet, of which 1.522,590,000 feet repre-

A New Feature in the Chicago Sanday

sent new logs.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10 .- The Sunday Times begins a new feature with the issue of to-morrow, January 11-nothing less than a complete magazine department of choice original literature in each issue, the authors being among those most prominently known in current literature. The contributors to the first is-ue of this feature are Admiral Porter, Professor Proctor, Mark Twain, Senator Sherman

To Beat the Tax Gatherer. New York, Jan. 10.-The offices of the Manhattan and Metropolitan Elevated Railroad Compenies have been removed to Irvington, N, Y. A director of the company states that the move was made on account of a disagreement with the tax commissioners.

A Broken Bank.

LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. 10 .- The Farmers' Bank at

Elizabethtown, this county, owned by Samuel

Eady, closed its doors to-day, owing to a run upon it. Liablities, \$80,000. Depositors will lose heavily. Van Fossan Poisoning Case. PITTERURG, Jan. 10 .- An East Liverpool, O., special says no more deaths have occurred from the

crime, is not yet arrested. She is confined to her bed and strongly asserts her innocence. Her health has been bad for a long time, and within the past two years she has made three attempts at

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

Disgraceful Scenes at the French Court That Tried Madame Hugues.

Paris, Jan. 10,- The scenes about the entrance of the court on the day of the trial of Mms. Clovis-Hugues were in the highest degree distasteful. When the doors were opened a most unseemly crowding and crushing occurred, everybody in the unmannerly throng making frantic efforts to get inside. Visitors carried luncheons and went prepared to stay all day. The hum of conversation, enlivened with frequent salties of wit and outburst of laughter, prevailed the room, greatly detracting from the dignity of the proceedings. The papers complain of the state of the law, and compare it with Arkansas in the early days. The revolver is coming to take the place of the orderly execution of justice, is the burden of their lament Le Soir expresses the belief that France has en tered upon the downward track. In this the jour nal only voices the opinion of many pessimistic observers of Gallic tendencies

German Troops Gain a Victory Over Native Africans. BERLIN, Jan. 10 .- Commander Knorr, of the had expelled King Belland, and threated the mer- | with your 'pop' to be eaught on a snap. Why chants that they were going to burn Belltown' did you let them catch you this way?" "I didn't The expedition entered Hickorytown with little bern time!" returned Phylony than the resistance, and then attacked Belltown, to rescue the German Agent, Herr Partamus. The troops landed at this point under heavy fire, and immediately stormed the hill. One man was killed and seven wounded. Sixty men held the plateau for two hours against 400 men firing from the bushes. When their supporters arrived they stormed and burned Fosstown. The natives meanwhile had murdered Herr Partamus, Subsequent to these engagements the cruisers bombarded Hickorytown. No further out break has occurred.

The Subsidy Bill. BERLIN, Jan. 10 .- The Budget Committee of the Reichstag had under consideration to-day the question of subsidizing a steamship line to Aus tralia. Herr Von Boettechers, Minister of the In terior, said it was undecided whether the steamer of the proposed line should start from Genoa or Trieste. It is impracticable to fix all the conditions now. After the subsidy bill has passed and tenders been invited to secure the best service, the committee is not altogether satisfied with Von Boettecher's explanations, and in spite of that gentleman's opposition, referred the subsidizing bill to a sub-committee, with instructions to ascertain the cost and conditions to establish the proposed line.

An Evidence of Confusion and Anarchy. Paris, Jan. 20 .- M. Duc, the editor of Cri Di Peuple, who was savagely attacked by the brothers Ballerich the other night and dangerously wounded one of them, has been released from arrest. The Radical papers announce that there will be a meeting on Sunday to congratulate Duc on his narrow escape. A number of London Socialists will be present. Norbert Barlerich, the man wounded by Duc, is in a favorable condition. His life is not despaired of. The Journal Des Debats says that an attack on the office of the Cri Du Peuple is fresh, and that a deplorable symptom of confusion and anarchy is spreading

everywhere. The Opposition Intensified. BERLIN, Jan. 16 .- News of the fighting with the natives at Camerons has intensified the opposition in the Reichstag to granting further credits for development of German colonization schemes in Africa. This opposition has been augmented like-wise by the admission of General Von Caprivi, Minister of Marine, that the colonial policy would cost the country \$1,250,000, besides \$250,000 for West Africa. The Budget Committee of the Reichstag asked General Von Caprivi to present a de tailed statement of the necessary expenditures for

colonial affairs. A Forward March for Khartoum.

LONDON, Jan. 10,-General Stewart will start from Gakdul, on Monday, with 2,000 men to march to Metsemmeh, on the Nile near Shendy. The Ameer of Sangora, the Mehdi's lieutenant, will be opposed to General Stewart, and he has been reinforced by the tribes sent by Osman Digma from Eastern Soudan. These reinforcements raise hi number to 8 000 men. The odds thus presented are not considered more formidable than at the battle of Teb, a little less than a year ago.

Contractors to be Investigated. LONDON, Jan. 10 .- Specimens of the wood used in the construction of the transport boats furnished for the Nile expedition have been sent to the Admiralty These are found to be rotten and en, tirely unfit for use. The boats were made out o swedish spruce, and their structure was such that in a rush of water they were unlikely to hold to-gether. Au official inquiry has been ordered. The Speciator says the Government will prosecute

Parnell Doesn't Like Grand Juries. DUBLIN, Jan, 10. - Parnell yesterday in thanking the authorities of Cornwell for the honors shown in conferring upon him the freedom of the city, referred to the unrepresentative character of Grand Juries as at present constituted. Their powers, he said, must go to elected bodies who shall represent rate payers. He complained of the unsatisfactory system of education watch prevails in Ireland.

Unfavorable to Annexation. LONDON, Jan. 10 .- The Colonial Government of New Zealand has asked permission of the Home Government to annex the Island of Samoa to its jurisdiction. It holds a steamer in readiness to proceed to Samoa pending the reply of Lord Derby, the Secretary of the State Colonies. This

reply, probably, will be unfavorable to the an-The Formosa Blockade. LONDON, Jan. 10,-A dispatch from Hong Kong

to the Times says the Government Gazette anpounces the blockade of the Island of Formosa, between South Cape and Eyka, which was sus-pended, but now been renewed. No notice of the suspension was given. This action is considared unfair to neutrals and injurious to trade. Dynamiters' Threats.

LONDON, Jan. 10 .- The police have received

formation that simultaneous attempts are about

to be made by the dynamiters to blow up the Hol

born Viaduct and the Mansion House and railroad

stations. Extra precautions are being taken at

both points. All luggage is scrutinized with ex-Foreign Notes

Earthquake shocks were felt again yesterday at Malaga, Spain.

treme care.

have returned quietly.

As King Alfonso and suite passed through Cordova the inhabitants gave them a warm welcome. The Second Rattalion of the Sussex Regiment has been ordered to proceed from Malta to Egypt. The trouble in the Madrid University is ended. The students, at the request of the professors,

The Socialist Conference, which had been announced to take place at Weimar, Germany, has been forbidden to assemble. London advices from Buenos Ayres say the financial crisis is so serious that a general suspension of cash payments is imminent.

ber of Deputies has prepared a report adverse to the extension of further offensive operations. There were several earthquake shocks on Friday at Terrox, Spain, some twenty-five miles east of Malaga. - Fissures in the earth were caused by the

Einwald, the German explorer, and claims in Zululand with derision. A company styling itself the British Congo Company has been formed with a capital fixed at \$2,500,000, Jacob Bright. Houldsworth and other members of the House of Commons are among its

Granville and the English foreign office treat

DYNAMYTER STABBED.

Captain Thomas Phelan, of Kansas City, a Victim of the Knife of an Assassin.

He Exposes Some Secrets, is Decoved to New York and Stabbed.

PHELAN'S ASSASSINATION.

The Kansas City Dynamiter Gives Away Secrets and Is Stabbed in O'Donovan Rossa's Office, New York, Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 -There are very few new de velopments in the matter to day. O'Donovan Rossa was reticent when approached on the subect. Mayor T. B. Bullene, of Kansas Cita, and s

riend of Phelan's, called on him to-day. The condition of Captain Phelan continues to improve. This afternoon John T. Reilly, a friend, had a conversation with him. To his friend Phelan said he came here to explain certain matters to Rossa about the interview published in the Kansas City Journal. He now believes he was deliberately entrapped into Rossa's office be- be murdered. "Tom," said Rellly, "when cause the natives of Hickorytown and Fosstown | knew you in Kansas you were always too quick sve time," returned Phelan; "and, besides, the room was so small and the attack so sudden, that I couldn't get my pistol out." Reilly said to a reporter afterwards that he knew Phelan well, in Kansas City, in 1872, when he once prevented him from fighting a duel with a man named McCaffrey. He said, while Phelan was a man of spirit, quickly aroused, yet he would take a great deal of abus before getting angry.

Phelan's Assailant Arraigned. NEW YORK, Jan. 10.-Richard Short, the man who stabted Captain A helan vesterday in O'Donovan Rossa's office, was arraigned in court to-day. Few people were present, and Short appeared calm and collected. The prisoner was remanded to await the result of Phelan sinjuries. Later he was seen in his cell by a reporter, but refused to say anything. At the hospital the physicians said Phelan's condition had improved since mid-night, and it was barely possible that he might

Once Lieutenant of the Capital Police, Washington, Jan. 10 .- Captain Phelan, of Kansas City, who was attacked in O'Donovan Rossa's office, New York, yesterday, was Lieutenant of the Capital police here during the Forty-sixth Congress. He held the place two or three years but when the Kansas City district became Republican through a split among the Democrats, Phe-lan lost his position and returned to Kansas City. Since he left Washington, rumors have from time to time reached here connecting him with the dynamiters. It was at one time said he had gone to England on a dynamite expedition, and this is the trip to which he referred in his interview, published in Kansas City.

Captain Phelan's Wwe. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 10,-The wife of Captain Phelan left here this morning for New York to join ber husband. She bears her trial with great fortitude. Phelan is described as a man of remarkable courage, quick tempered, and fond of notoristy. At one time he traveled about the country giving exhibitions of his skill as a marks man. His visit to New York was the result of tu e recent interview published here, but opinions differ as to whether he went in response to a summons there or for purposes of his own. It is generally supposed, however, that there was some misunderstanding regarding the interview and

he desired to clear it up. CAPTAIN PHELAN'S STORY.

The Gist of the Story Told by Captain Phelan and Published in the Kansas City Journal-Which Led to His Being Stabbed.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 10 .- The interview with Cap-

tain Phelan, heretofore mentioned, which was published in the Journal of this city on December 21, is devoted chiefly to the relation of a plot ! to blow up the steamer Queen, and a description of the manner of manipulating their mysterious dynamite machine. The story, as told by the Captain, is substantially as follows. In June, 1883, he made a voyage to Europa to secure information which would prevent the extradition of P. J. Sheridan, the great irish agitator, and his removal to England. He visited Paris and accomplished his mission. the contractors who supplied the boats, and se- Meanwhile, however, the British Government abandoned the effort to extradite Sheri dan, and the matter was dropped. Continuing the story, Phelan said that before leaving New York he met a number of agitators, among them John P. Kear- intte answer by Monday. ney, who blew up the Caledonian Railway Station at Glasgow and afterward escaped to America. He sailed in the Belgravia, and Kearney was to follow three days later Queen, and they were to meet in inburg. He knew that it was plan to blow up the Queen after the passengers landed at Liverpool. When the men met at Edinburg Phelan asked Kearney why he had not carried out the latter. He replied he had placed a sufficient quantity of dynamite to blow up the pyramids in the vessel's hold, but when the ship arrived at Liverpool she anchored in the stream, and the passengers were taken ashore in a tender. Kearney was not permitted to go into the hold, so he came away, leaving in the vesse fifteen pounds of dynamite, which would probably explode in about two weeks later, after it had begun to rot, and would imperil hundreds of lives. Phelan determined to go to Liverpool and warn the officers. Kearney protested it would be suicidal. Phelan, however persisted and visited the Queen and informed the officers, and learned they had received a cable message from New York fifteen minutes after the vessel landed, describing the plot, which led to the discovery of the explosive and saving the vessel. Phelan remained a day or two i Liverpool, aware that he was being con-stantly shadowed by detectives. He was approached by Inspector Marsh, of liver-pool, and Head Constable Murphy, of Ire-land; also by Mr. Jenkinson, who had charge of the criminal prosecutions in Ireland, all of whom tried to get him into the service of the Govern ment. They told him the names of several pre tended Irish patriots who were working for the

Government, and he began to see how the authorities secured some of their information. He could not conjecture how they discovered the Queen plot, as Keerney had said it was known only to O'Donovan Rossa, Kearney and himself. He supposed some one had dropped upon Kearney's cluding his narrative, Phelan said he was finally permitted to leave Liverpool. When he arrived at Glasgow he found his valises had been broken open and searched; done, he thought, by a man who introduced himself in Edinburg as James Powers, and whom Phelan believed was a British detective, who had shadowed him from

New York and endeavored to get into his con-fidence. Kearney had to lay very low, but Phelan succeeded finally in getting him off to England by disguising bimself as Kearney and throwing the detective off the track. "What," asked the reporter, "was Kearney object in attempting to blow up the steamer?" "Oh, just to get up some excitement and scare England a little," was the reply.

The Captain described the mechanism of the

deadly battery. The machine is simple, but works with fatal precision. It consists of a reservoir of acid, which drips upon a tube enveloped in sheets of tissue paper. It takes a minute for the acid to est through each sheet of paper. In The Madagascar Committee in the French Chamthe acid to est through each sheet of paper. In this case 120 sheets were wrapped around the tube. When the last sheet is eaten through the scid runs down the tube and upon the percussion cap beneath, and then comes the explosion. The machine is noiseless and almost infallible in its working of terrible injury.

Speaking of himself, the Captain said that he was a dynamiter out and out, he beloaged to the Irish National Society and was obedient to their call, having participated in many of their plans for terrorising the English Government. He determined to return to Liverpool and save the Queun in order to protect the lives of the

hundreds of people who would sail on the next voyage, many of these his own countrymen, men, women and children going to join their friends in

SPRINGER INVESTIGATION.

The Testimony of the Same General Chare acter to That Already Given-Will Close in Another Week.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 10 .- The testimony before 'be Springer Investigation Committee this morning was of the same general character that has been already given. Edgar M. Johnson, law partier of Governor Headly, testified to the scenes in the United States Court-room similar to that mentioned by other witnesses. He was indignant upon seeing in the United States Clerk's offices cartoen of Cleveland as a hangman, and demanded its re-

Mr. Bush, of Winchester, Ky., told of crowds of strangers in the city and about the polls. H. T. Farny, artist, went to the United States Court room, and visited some polling places. He anticipated a serious riot, and was expecting to make sketches for an Eastern publication, but no

baying seen an unusual number of strange negroes in the city several days prior to the October election. The number was remarkable. men on the streets apparently taking a list of names of the colored men, and saw pro Republicans talking with colored men. He was not afraid to vote, but his family preed him not to go to the pells. I saw Deputy Marshals holding Republican tickets. On cross-examination he said, I knew there was a Colored Odd Fellows'

colored Deputy Marshal with him while in the performance of his duties at the Sixth Ward polis He saw Powell Clayton, a Mr. Sullivan and two others come there in a hack, and heard them any gets out of the way the better." The other witnesses examined were J.

Policeman Farrell testified to interference by

Convention here at the time.

Meara, watchman on the suspension bridge, Michael Bolan and Patrick Bolan, policemen of Covington. R. B. Thorpe, Deputy Marshal on duty at the Twenty-fifth Ward polis, Mr. Faulkner, of Indiana, and J. Murphy, of Cincinnati.

Meara and the two Bolans said they saw many negroes crossing the bridge into Cincinnati the night before the election Mr. Faulkner described the shooting scene in the Eighth Ward. Thorpe saw a negro arrested for illegal voting. He had voted the Democratic ticket. Murphy described how he was knocked down and shot in the Fourth Ward.

testimony in two more days.

Chairman Springer said he would probably close the investigation next Saturday. Weekly Bank Statement. NEW York, Jan. 10 .- The following is the bank

Mr. Follett said he thought he could end ale

statement for the week onding to-day: \$1,734,000 Increase. Legal tenders.. 8,431,000 138,000 7,623,000 The banks now hold \$47,644,000 in excess of legal

requirements. Mary Anderson Will Build a Theater in London, LONDON, Jan. 16.-The agents of Mary Anderson are seeking ground, near the Strand, upon which

Bancrofts to take the Haymarket Theater, agree-ing to make a deposit of \$50,000, and a yearly rent of \$25,000. The Bancrofts wanted in addition power to veto productions. The negotistions are Mysteriously Missing Man Found. CINCINNATI, Jan. 10 .- Herman J. Mack, prominent in Jewish circle, a beokkeeper, has been mysteriously missing from his place of business since Tuesday last. Late this afternoon the janitor of the Alemania Building found him dead, hanging among t e flies on the stage. Rymore that he was short in his accounts are denied by

to build a theater. They made an offer to the

his late employers. In Favor of the Spanish Treaty. NEW YORK, Jan. 10,-A petition in favor of the Spanish treaty, addressed to the Chairman of the

Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate, being circulated among merchants and manufacturers of the city, has already received great numbers of signatures of prominent firms and representatives of all branches of trade.

Strong Enspicion of Murder. CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 10,-There is much excitement over the suspicion that James McMullen and wife, who were found burned with their dwelling, were first murdered and the home then fired to conceal the evidence of the crime. A man named Coffee, having a pair of McMullen's boots, was arrested but escaped.

A Father Kills His Son. ALLENTOWN, Pa., Jan. 10,-Lowis Cart, living near Seidemville, this county, stabbed and killed

his son, Charles, last night. The son, twenty-one years old old, interfered in a quarrel between his father and mother, when the father stabbed him with a pocket knife. The murderer fied. Anti-Cameron Politicians. PITTSEUEG, Jan. 10,-Some members of the Legilature and anti-Cameron politicians are endeavor-

ing to persuade Major A. M. Brown, a lawyer of

Pittsburg, to run for Senator against Cameron, Brown has not decided, but promises to give a def-

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS. The losses by the Sioux City, Iows, fire Friday

night, aggregated \$60,000. The south side of the Public Square at Hame ourz. Ark., burned, causing a loss of \$30,000. The chair shop of Smith & Day, at Athole, Mass., burned yesterday. Loss, \$30,000; insurance, \$12,-A terrible snow storm is raging at Denver, Col.,

since Friday night. The depot and freight sheds and Linck's Hotel. at Nashville, Tenn., were totally destroyed by fire. Loss on depot, \$15,600; notel, \$25,600 The Secretary of War has decided not to order a Court Martial for the trial of Lieutenant Garlington on the charges preferred by General Hazen.

and vicinity, three feet of snow having fallen

The imports to the port of New York for the week ended yesterday were \$8,774,600, of which \$2,665,000 were dry goods and \$6,105,000 general Daniel A. Holcomb, on trial at Jackson, Mich., for the murder of Jacob Crouch, was sequitted

last night. The jury was out two hours and forty-five minutes. James H. Dalton has put a forfeit of \$100 in the hands of a Chicago editor to fight Dominick Mc-Caffrey with bare knuckles, according to the Loudou prize ring rules.

The residence of Judge Bond, of the United States District Court, at Haltimore, was entered by burglars Friday night and robbed of property valued at several hundred dollars. It is reported from Lynchburg, Va., that there

is more destitution in Wise County, Virginia, then was first supposed, and the outside amistance which was declined, is now asked for. The announcement of the desire of New Zealand to annex Samos caused a sensation in Berlin. The newspapers consider it certain that Germany and America will vigorously protest against the an-

Madame Clovis Hugues has refused to pay the \$400 assessed against her. She will appeal to the Supreme Court, on the ground that, as she was acquitted, she is not compelled to payle pecunia-

ry penaity. INDICATIONS.

For Tennesce and the Ohio Valley-Warms partly cloudy weather and local rains; southerly winds, shifting to westerly in the western poce tion; falling berometer.

For Upper Lake Region-Partly cloudy weathers local rains or snows; southerly shifting to week erly winds; rising barometer in the western per tion, falling followed by rising in the content portion; slightly colder in the northwest portion? rising followed by falling temperature in the remaining portions of the district.